GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Rehabilitation Work of Coaches
Khadse Smt. Raksha Nikhil

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways proposes to revamp the interiors of coaches and make them ultra-modern and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Railways has identified the location for the rehabilitation work of the coaches;

(c) if not, whether the Railways proposes to undertake the rehabilitation work at Bhusawal coach repairing site where sufficient infrastructural facilities are available; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a): Revamping interiors of identified coaches and making them ultra modern to the extent feasible is a continuous process on Indian Railways. In the recent past, one rake with revamped interiors having vibrant colour scheme, additional amenities, etc. has been inducted as Mahamana Express running between New Delhi and Varanasi.

(b): Yes, Madam. Carriage Rehabilitation Workshop, Bhopal, Mid-life Rehabilitation Workshop, Jhansi and Loco Workshop, Parel (Central Railway), Mumbai have been identified and Mid-life Rehabilitation of coaches is carried out at these locations. Also, Coach Rehabilitation Workshop, Kurnool (South Central Railway) is a new project in hand.

(c): Presently, there is no proposal to undertake the coach rehabilitation work at Bhusawal coach repairing site.

(d): Does not arise.
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